

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**  
**(Case No. 05-803)**

In the presence of:

Michael Dean et al.

Serial No.: 110/551,628

Filed: March 31, 2004

Title: Signal Processing Apparatus and Method

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Examiner: Not Assigned

Group Art Unit: 2615

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C.**  
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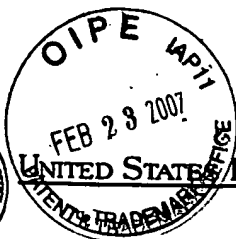
1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
  - a. Petition for Revival of an Application for Patent Abandoned Unintentionally under 37 CFR 1.137(b)
  - b. Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 USC 371
  - c. Response to Notification of Missing Requirements mailed June 13, 2006
  - d. Four Executed Declaration/Power of Attorney
  - e. Return Receipt Postcard
2. With respect to additional fees:
  - a. Attached is a check in the amount of \$1500.00
3. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No.13-2490. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
4. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the paper, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Petition, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 20th day of February, 2007.

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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/30/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/30/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/30/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/27/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 09/30/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/30/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/30/2005
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- Specification filed on 09/30/2005
- Claims filed on 09/30/2005
- Abstracts filed on 09/30/2005
- Drawings filed on 09/30/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - does not identify the application to which it is directed.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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